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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Yusuke YAMADA, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
Appl. No.: Filed Concurrently Herewith)	
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Filed: September 4, 2001)	
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For: DRIVING FORCE RECEIVING MEMBER)		September 4, 2001
AND DRIVING MECHANISM	:	

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

FEE/STATEMENT

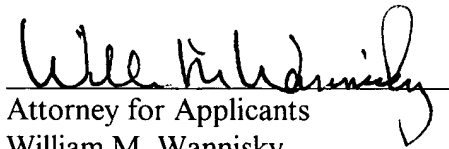
No fee or statement is required in connection with this Information Disclosure statement, since it is being submitted prior to the issuance of a first official action on the merits in the above-captioned application.

REMARKS

It is respectfully requested that the cited information be considered by the Examiner and that an annotated copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned with the next official communication indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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